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TALES OF THE TOWN.

Born—to Mr. and Mrs. John Maylor, of 360 South Jackson street—a girl.

The public schools will close for the holidays next Friday and open on the day following New Years.

This morning Superintendent Blair of the Children's Home, went to Bluffton for two children to be taken care of at the home.

The funeral services of William Dilts were held from the residence, No. 814 East High street, at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. The remains were interred in Woodlawn cemetery.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Who They Are, Where They Have Been or Are Going.

Miss Bell Rice, of Kenton, is visiting here.

F. G. Boyer, of Oil City, is at the Lima House.

Glover Smith, of Piqua, was in the city last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ewing and children visited in Van Wert to-day.

Mayor Wroten and wife, of Kenton, are the guests of friends in the city.

Mrs. H. C. Blodgett and son are home from a visit with friends in Toledo.

Miss Edith Wapner, of West Kibby street, is visiting friends in Lafayette.

Mrs. H. L. McGuire was called to West Union, Iowa, yesterday, by the sudden death of her father.

Rev. B. J. Thomson returned this morning from Leipsic, where he delivered a lecture last evening.

Miss Maud Pinard, of Chicago, is visiting her cousin, Miss Mattie Caleneau, of West Wayne street.

Miss Cora Weaver, who has been the guest of friends here, has returned to her home in Beaver Dam.

County Clerk D. H. Tolson was called to Van Wert to-day by the death of his brother-in-law, John D. Irwin.

Mrs. Pierson left for her home in Delaware this morning, after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Cowles.

Mrs. R. L. Beebe and children, of Dayton, are the guests of Mr. Beebe and her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Greenfield.

C. F. Moore, manager of the Fairport Opera House, Lima, was in the city yesterday advertising one of his attractions.—Kenton Democrat.

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SENTENCED.

Mrs. Coleman and Sam Barr Sentenced this Afternoon.

This afternoon Judge Mooney overruled the motion for a new trial in the Barr case and sentenced him to thirty days in the work house and fined him \$100. Mrs. Coleman was fined \$100 and the costs, and to stand committed until paid.

The cases will be carried up.

FILED.

That Injunction Suit Against Treasurer Young.

This morning the injunction proceedings, which have been exclusively announced in THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT, would be brought, were begun in common pleas court by the Lima Electric Railway company against Treasurer Young, to prevent the collection of the tax due the county from the company. A complete account of the matter was published in THE TIMES-DEMOCRAT yesterday.

The suit was begun by Cable & Parmenter and asks that Treasurer Young be enjoined, during the pendency of the action, from collecting a greater sum than \$248.12 in payment of their December taxes.

The company gave bond in the sum of \$1,500, with T. C. Calvert and Wm. Melville as sureties.

Judge Richie allowed a temporary injunction to be issued.

A BEAUTIFUL DISPLAY.

Christmas Presents That Are Numerous, Pretty and Easily Purchased.

Among the many business houses in the city where Christmas presents are displayed, there is one place in particular where every body should go before making any purchases. If you are undecided as to what to buy for a present and will go to the New York 3 and 10 cent store, you can easily find something to suit you, because the enterprising proprietors of that place have expended every effort to secure a complete variety of beautiful, useful and ornamental goods of every description, in which they have been more than successful, and now have a display of holiday goods at their store in the Harper block that cannot be excelled. A more useful and appropriate present could not be given than a pretty cup and saucer, and a more complete assortment in that line of goods cannot be found in the city.

Give the place a call, and you will find that your Christmas presents will be much nicer and will not cost you half as much as you anticipated.

SHORT WORK.

The Jury Had in the Case of Sam Barr.

A jury in the case of Sam Barr, charged with adultery, was secured about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and at eleven o'clock this morning Judge Mooney began his charge.

The jury retired about half past eleven o'clock and in a short time returned a verdict of guilty.

In the case of Barr, as that of Mrs. Coleman, Attorney Shaw will carry the case up to the Circuit Court.

D. G. SAGER.

Proprietor of the Racket Store, No. 306 North Main street, opposite the Court House, wants to see you right away. He has placed special low prices on all goods, which includes a line of Holiday goods. Go to the Racket to see him. 50-8t

Jacob Burchin Dead.

Jacob Burchin, an old and well known resident, died at his home, in Amanda township, at two o'clock yesterday afternoon. He was taken ill on Tuesday evening with a severe attack of la grippe, which resulted in his death.

The deceased was 55 years of age, leaves a family of several children. The funeral services will be held from Antioch Chapel at ten o'clock Monday.

Attend to It at Once.

Circulars are being sent out by the State Board of Health to local Boards of Health, local Health Officers and Boards of Education, giving notice of extension of time until January 8 for the vaccination of school children and congratulating the local authorities on the fact that the order of the board had been promptly enforced in many places.

No One Had Them.

This morning Chas. Munnigh, who lives near the infirmary, was in the city in search of two hundred quarters of beef which were stolen from his barn Thursday night. He visited the meat markets in the city, but failed to find them.

If Your

gentleman friend, your father or your brother is a Mason, make them a present of one of two of those Masonic Handkerchiefs. You can get them at G. E. Blum's 57 Public Square. 51-5t

University Extension Course.

The next lecture of the course will be given by Dr. Gordy, Monday evening, The lecture to the teachers will be at 3:30, Monday.

Christmas Trees

Eph Roush has a fine variety of them on sale at Theo. Roush's, opposite the Court House. Call early and get first choice. 1t

Remember

the sale this afternoon and evening, at Mrs. D. P. G. Stueber's, West North street. Luncheon, 15 cents. 1t

ROUND ABOUT.

A prominent Lima merchant yesterday in speaking of the cry of dull times and the effect upon business, said that up until the last two days, when the bad weather set in, his trade was greater than for the same period last year.

There is no question about it being a go this time. Yesterday afternoon Joe Hupp, of Frankel's, slid out of town so quietly that he was safely landed in Wapak before his friends were aware of his departure. They then discovered that he had taken along a new suit, entire. From the way Joe has been acting lately the boys know something is wrong, but they are at a loss as to her name. They are anxiously awaiting their arrival home.

Tobacco pouches made out of the heads of martins, make acceptable Christmas gifts for smokers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hackedorf, of Indianapolis, were the guests of honor at a party given last evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ritchie.

It was after midnight when the number of about one hundred, the interior of their home being beautifully decorated for the occasion. The billiard room was sought by those who desired to dance, while cards were engaged in by others. A dainty lunch was served in the dining room. It was after midnight when the guests, delighted with their reception and entertainment, began dispersing for their homes.

Dan Collins was about town yesterday, visiting every dry goods store in the city and buying a spool of thread at each place. He wasn't particular as to what kind it was and now has thread to give away as he don't know what to do with it. As he was looking for it, Daniel himself, only knows. He refuses to tell.

Judge Mooney, of St. Mary's, who this week has been occupying Judge Ritchie's bench while the latter has been hearing the Dress murder trial at Colima, is the youngest judge in this part of, if not in the State, and is a very promising jurist. He occupies the bench with a great amount of dignity, giving his rulings and charges to the jury in a clear way so that there is no mistaking what the law is, and in a style that is not calculated to injure the attorney against whom the ruling is made. At the same time he is very decisive and very gentlemanly in his manner. His presence in the court was the first time a great many of his legal friends in the city have seen him on the bench, and they were pleased with the ease and grace, and at the same time fairness in which he handled the cases during the absence of Judge Ritchie. Judge Mooney has a bright future predicted for him, and while here was the recipient of numerous compliments.

A Findlay man calls his employer a revenue rat, because he is reducing salaries.

Ever since the arrest of Clara Weiker, the young woman who was last Monday sentenced to a year in the penitentiary for killing her babe, the operators in the telephone exchange have been greatly annoyed by some one calling them up almost every day and inquiring about Clara. This became more of a nuisance during the time which intervened between her indictment and the time when the request for information came from out of the city, but the same was not taken to inquire who the person was until one night recently, when Manager Wheaton happened to be answering calls. After the questioner was through, Manager Wheaton, having his curiosity aroused, called up the town, Cayaloga Falls, Co., and inquired who was that calling on every day and asked about the Weiker girl. The answer came back that it was Fred Hull, one of the employees of the telephone company at that place. Hull is the young man who is charged by Mrs. Weiker with being the author of her shame, and it is not a surprise that we are interested in knowing what was done with the girl. Her case is particularly sad from the fact that neither he nor any member of her family ever came here to console her and give what aid they could to the poor and unfortunate young woman.

J. Koller, a Napoleon miller, offers to give a sack of flour on Christmas Day to every woman of that town who will call for it, provided her husband is out of work. Widows are, of course, included in the offer. As the miller does not give his reasons, it is presumable that it is an instance of genuine philanthropy. There is no publicity about the affair, no names being given or asked from those who apply. Mr. Koller adds: "It is not on account of my religion, neither am I a candidate for public office; while I am not a millionaire, I do not care to own the earth."

Jags saw the most shocking thing he saw at Chicago was the electrical display.

No traveling salesman visits Spencerville who has a firmer hold on the trade and a warmer legging among the business men than Nelson Tice of Moore Bros., wholesale grocers, of Lima. He is always pleasant and accommodating, reliable in his dealings and never without a pleasant smile on his countenance, and usually prepared to furnish a new story or joke at every visit. If he is received at every place he goes as he is at Spencerville, it is surely can be nothing but a pleasure for him to sell goods.—Spencerville Journal.

Lima Lodge No. 91, K. P., celebrated the anniversary of the organization of the lodge with a stag party last night in Castle Hall. Nearly two hundred covers were spread at the banquet table where speeches and merry-making held full sway.

Dr. S. R. Finer, one of the oldest and most honored members, acted as toastmaster. The custom has been an annual one since the formation of that splendid lodge and is a pleasing feature of its many enjoyable social affairs.

A Cure for Croup.

When on a visit to Iowa, Mr. K. Dalton, of Luray, Russell county, Kansas, called at the laboratory of Chamberlain & Co., Des Moines, to show them his six year old boy, whose life had been saved by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, it having cured him of a very severe attack of croup. Mr. Dalton is certain that it saved his boy's life and is enthusiastic in his praise of the Remedy. For sale by Melville, the druggist, next to P. O.

BOBBOWED

From the Boys in the P. F. W. & C. Yards.

The boys in the P. F. W. & C. Yards were nicely taken in yesterday. A stranger put in his appearance and told a nice story about having a gang of men at work along the line near town, repairing the telegraph lines and having no lanterns to use in protecting their hand car from trains, he borrowed one from John Howe and another from Harry Richmond, and induced Joe Steak to loan him his overcoat. He told them that the boys are not and will, alternately.

N. W. O. M. A.

Close of the Meeting at Toledo—Dr. Steiner Elected President.

At the session of the Northwestern Ohio Medical Association at Toledo, yesterday, Dr. Steiner, of this city, presided in the absence of Dr. Kirby.

The major portion of yesterday's session was occupied in the election of officers and the selection of a place to hold the next meeting. Van Wert was chosen for the June session of the association, and the following officers were elected:

President, Dr. D. W. Steiner, of Lima; first vice-president, Dr. J. K. Wood, of Van Wert; second vice-president, Dr. August Kuhn, of Van Wert; secretary and treasurer, Dr. J. H. Garrett, of Deshler.

In the evening, the members took a street car for the asylum, where they were entertained by Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Kirby, the retiring president, delivered his annual address after which the meeting adjourned.

COURT HOUSE NEWS.

Lincoln A. Andley vs. James King and Frank King; cognovit. Amount \$15.

The Lima Electric Street Railway Company vs. Amos Young, Treasurer; injunction.

LICENSED TO WED.

Amos Augsberger and Elizabeth A. Shenk.

Samuel Lippencott and Amanda Dover.

Y. M. C. A. MATTERS.

Men's Meeting at 3:30 to-morrow afternoon.

Study of the Sunday School lesson this evening at seven o'clock.

I. R. Longworth will have charge of the men's meeting to-morrow at 3:30. Good singing and short talks. All men are urged to be present.

Bible Training classes as follows to-morrow: No. 2 at 8 a. m., No. 3 at 2 p. m. and No. 1 at 4:30. These classes are in charge of the General Secretary, and all young men desiring a better knowledge of God's word are invited to join one of them.

Will Test It.

Last night Daniel LeVan, who is in the employ of a Lima nitro-glycerine company, started out on a trip with 630 quarts of that explosive.

This morning he was arrested for violating a city ordinance prohibiting the transfer of nitro-glycerine through the streets of the city. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$50 and costs, which fine was suspended pending the hearing of the case in the Common Pleas Court, to which an appeal was taken by Attorney George H. Phelps, representing the nitro-glycerine company. The whole procedure was brought about in order to test the validity of the ordinance.—Fairley Republican.

OIL AND GAS.

The Eastern Oil Market closed today at 7 1/2.

Beckey's Pipe Line runs for 15th, 48,934.87.

Excursion to Cincinnati.

Tuesday, December 19th, via the C. & H. & D. at the unusually low rate for round trip of \$4.00. Tickets good on all regular trains leaving Lima on this date up to and including 12:30 noon. Tickets good returning on all regular trains of the 19th and 20th.

Those who want to take their children on the excursion to Cincinnati on the 19th can get rates of one-half the extreme low rate of \$4.00. 51-3t

Minus a Cent.

Yesterday a stranger called at A. Watson's residence, 571 West Spring street, while Mrs. Watson was away, and asked their son to let him have Mr. Watson's overcoat. He took it and has not been seen since, though the police have been on the lookout since that time.

A Handsome Cup and Saucer.

Free of charge if you buy two dollars worth of goods at G. E. Blum's, 57 Public Square. 51-5t

Masonic.

G. E. Blum has on sale a lot of Masonic Handkerchiefs which will make a nice Christmas present for a lady to give. 51-5t

COMMITTEES.

Appointed by the Associated Charities to Care for the Poor.

The members of the Board of Associated Charities met in the lecture room of the Market street Presbyterian church last evening with a good attendance. The Board organized by electing for their officers H. S. Prophet, president; J. B. Hughes, vice president, and Mrs. E. F. Davis, secretary. A committee consisting of two ladies to each voting precinct in the city, was appointed for the purpose of looking after the poor and needy families in their respective precincts. They were:

First Ward, Precinct A—Mrs. D. Seiber and Mrs. Canlony; Precinct B, Mrs. A. L. Williams and Mrs. Dabbling.

Second Ward—Mrs. Margaret Ireland and Mrs. H. Martin.

Third Ward, Precinct A—Mrs. Geo. Disman and Mrs. Lizzie Ward; Precinct B, Mrs. Jones and Mrs. John Brotherton.

Fourth Ward, Precinct B—Mrs. J. L. Smith and Mrs. Henry Dean; Precinct B, Mrs. P. Dangleline and Mrs. S. A. Sellers; Precinct C, Mrs. A. W. Myers and Mrs. E. A. Whitney.

Fifth Ward—Mrs. Josiah Williams and Mrs. D. S. Cross.

Sixth Ward, Precinct A—Mrs. Geo. Melly and Mrs. Gray; Precinct B, Mrs. J. B. Hughes and Mrs. Remple.

Seventh Ward, Precinct A—Mrs. Jacob Bally and Mrs. Longworth; Precinct B, Mrs. Vogan and Mrs. Henry Moore.

Messrs. J. R. Hughes and L. E. Ellis were appointed as an advisory and investigation committee, to whom doubtful cases will be reported.

Messrs. E. F. Davis, Wm. McCumb Jr., M. Thomas and Messrs. J. R. Hughes and Gus Kuhn, were appointed committee on committees. This committee will meet next Tuesday evening at J. R. Hughes' store.

Regular meeting nights of the board changed from the first and third Tuesday to the second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

AMONG THE RAILROADS.

D. & M. brakeman, H. C. Woodgett is taking a lay off.

The P. F. W. & C. has given an order for 18,000 tons of steel rails, to be used in double tracking the line.

Switchman Maher, of the C. & E., is officiating as night yardmaster during the absence of C. F. Wishart, who is ill.

Engineer Al Beaver, of Huntington is running engine 112 in the C. & E. yards here, in place of Engineer Roach, who is laying off.

Night yardmaster C. I. Potter, of the C. & E., has returned home from Cleveland, where he was attending the Railroad Employees' Union meeting.

Holiday Excursions Via Pennsylvania Lines.

On December 23d, 24th, 25th, 26th and 31st, 1893, and January 1st, 1894, excursion tickets at low round trip rates will be sold from stations on the Pennsylvania Lines west of Pittsburgh to points on those lines in Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky and West Virginia. Agent, Lima, O.

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